THE HON'BLE Ms. JUSTICE G. ROHINI

WRIT PETITION No.9247 OF 2007

ORAL ORDER:

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Government Pleader for Social Welfare, appearing for the respondents.

Admittedly, the appeal preferred by the petitioners against the order of ejection passed by the Special Deputy Collector, Tribal Welfare, Bhadrachalam, dated 27.2.2006 in LTR case No.1083/2000/ENK, is pending before the 1st respondent.

Having regard to the fact that the statutory appeal is pending, I deem it appropriate to direct that the *status quo* shall be maintained till the disposal of the appeal.

Accordingly, the writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the 1st respondent to dispose of the appeal pending on its file, as expeditiously as possible, preferably within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a coy of this order. Till such time, *status quo* obtaining as on today as to the nature and possession of the land in question, shall be maintained. No costs.

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(G. ROHINI, J.)

27th April, 2007.
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Between:

Prathapaneni Srinivasa Rao and others. ..

Petitioners.

And

The Additional Agent to the Government/
Project Officer, ITDA, Bhadrachalam,
Khammam District and others. .. Respondents.